

# Deluxe Yamagata Local Food Tour

Oct 31 (Sat) ~ Nov 08 (Sun)

**\$4259.00** (Air tax \$281.00 included as of Mar 10)

Based on double occupancy

Single extra \$570.00 / Land only: \$3559.00

International Air upgrade to Premium-Economy \$2250.00

**\$25.00 Discount sign up by 3/31**

## Package includes the following

- \* Roundtrip airfare, including tax and surcharges  
(Tax and surcharges are subject to change, and will be adjusted for differences greater than \$10.00)
- \* English speaking guide from 2/02~2/07 & 2/09
- \* English speaking assistant 2/01
- \* 8 nights hotel accommodations in Japan
- \* Sightseeing in Japan by chartered bus, ferry and train
- \* Luggage shipping from Matsushima to Tokyo
- \* Daily breakfast, 4 lunches and 6 dinners
- \* Bilingual tour escort from Honolulu by JTB
- \* Online pre-departure briefing

## Rules and Restrictions

- \* Passengers with foreign passports (excluding U.S & Japan passports) may need to obtain a visa from the Japan Consulate.
- \* Price/Schedule is subject to change by vendor.
- \* Minimum 20 people are required to guarantee the departure.
- \* A moderate degree of physical health and physical ability is required to participate in the tour. In the event of special physical or mental needs, JTB USA cannot assume any responsibility in relation to the difficulty or impossibility that the said passenger may encounter in undertaking the activities planned for the tour, nor can JTB USA assume any responsibility for providing assistance for their adaptation to, or continuation of, the trip.
- \* JTB USA reserves the right to suspend any tour for passengers whose physical and/or mental conditions make their participation difficult or dangerous to themselves or others. JTB USA likewise reserves the right to exclude passengers who significantly disrupt the smooth-running of the trip

**\*\* LAND ONLY designation is without air and transportation to/from airport.**

*Please make selection on your application form for LAND ONLY or WITH AIR.*

**JTB USA, Inc.**

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# ***JTB USA, Inc. TOUR ~ TERMS & CONDITIONS***

## **1. Deposit and Final Payment:**

- A \$300.00 deposit per person is due at the time of registration.
- The remaining balance is due 120 days prior to departure. We will send notification via email.
- If the reservation is made less than 120 days prior to departure, full payment is due at time of booking.
- If the remaining balance of payment is not made within the above-required period of time, JTB USA, Inc. reserves the right to cancel reservations.

## **2. Cancellations and Changing Fees: (Please read very carefully)**

- Regardless of reason, cancellations result in costly charges from travel and hotel providers covering penalties and fees incurred by canceling confirmed bookings. Therefore, the following fees will apply:

### ***Cancellation or any changes within:***

- \* Up to 121 days prior to departure: Free
- \* 120– 91 days prior to departure: \$300.00 of the total tour fee
- \* 90–31 days prior to departure: \$200.00 of the total tour fee
- \* Within 30 days of departure: 100% of the total tour fee
- \* Additional individual arrangements may not be refundable. Please check with our travel agents.

## **3. Participation:**

For the benefit of everyone in your tour group, JTB USA, Inc. reserves the right to accept or reject any person as a tour participant, and to remove from the tour any participant whose conduct is deemed incompatible with the interests of the other participants.

**We require a minimum of 20 participants to guarantee a tour.**

**JTB USA, Inc. will notify participants of any changes 121 days prior to departure.**

We regret that our escorted tours will operate only when booked by a sufficient number of participants. We reserve the right to cancel any departure date that has insufficient demand.

\*\* It may be possible to operate tours with less than 20 participants.

However, it may require changes to the original tour itinerary and price.

## **4. Responsibility:**

The tour participant agrees that neither JTB USA, Inc. nor its affiliates shall be liable for any damage, loss (including personal injury, death, and property loss) or expense occasioned by any act or omission of any supplier providing services, or any insurer or insurance administrator under the travel protection plan, or of any other person, or any other situations beyond the control of JTB USA, Inc., including weather, natural disaster, war, civil unrest, and order of government or immigration regulations.

**We strongly advise that tour participants purchase an optional travel protection plan.**

**Please ask one of our travel consultants for more information or contact:**

**\*\* Optional Travel Insurance is Recommended \*\***

Travel Insured: <https://www.travelinsured.com=52919>

Or call 1-800-243-3174 / Office Number: 52919

## *Deluxe Yamagata Local Food Tour*

### **Day 1 Oct 31 (Sat) Honolulu ~ Haneda Airport**

01:05pm Depart Honolulu for Haneda Airport on **ALL NIPPON AIRWAYS 185**

### **Day 2 Nov 01 (Sun) Haneda Airport – Shonai Airport - Tsuruoka (D)**

05:20pm Arrive at Haneda Airport

Meet guide at the arrival lobby

08:15pm Leave for Shonai Airport **ALL NIPPON AIRWAYS 399**

09:20pm Arrive at Shonai Airport

Transfer to the hotel by chartered bus / Onsen Hotel

**Accommodation at Kameya Hotel/40sqm size room**

### **Day 3 Nov 02 (Mon) Tsuruoka (B/D)**

Breakfast at the hotel

09:00am Leave for sightseeing with guide by chartered bus

Visit local soy source maker **HANABUSA SOY SAUCE FACTORY**

Visit Pickles/Tsukemono factory **TSUKEMONO HONCHO**

04:00pm Return to the hotel

Dinner at the hotel **Accommodation at Kameya Hotel/40sqm size room**

### **Day 4 Nov 03 (Tue) Tsuruoka \*National Holiday (B/L/D)**

Breakfast at the hotel

09:00am Leave for sightseeing with English speaking guide by chartered bus

Visit **HONMA MUSEUM OF ART** for beautiful Japanese garden

**Japanese kaiseki lunch at Somaro with Maiko Performance**

Visit **TATENOKAWA SAKE BREWERY**

Return to the hotel, **dinner at the hotel**

**Accommodation at Kameya Hotel/40sqm size room**

### **Day 5 Nov 04 (Wed) Tsuruoka - Tendo (B/L/D)**

Breakfast at the hotel

08:30am Leave for sightseeing with English speaking guide by chartered bus

11:00am Enjoy **Mogami River Boat ride with Bento lunch on board**

Lunch bento box

01:00pm Japanese Martial Art – **IAIDO** experience at Inai Shrine

04:00pm Arrive at the hotel (Onsen)

\* Room upgrade with private onsen in a room available, contact us at the time of sign up

**Local dinner Toyokocho dinner**, enjoy hole in a wall local food experience!

(\*3min. on foot from the hotel) **Accommodation at Hohoemi no Yado Takinoyu**

### **Day 6 Nov 05 (Thu) Tendo – Sagae - Tendo (B/L/D)**

Breakfast at the hotel

09:00am Leave for sightseeing with English speaking guide by chartered bus

**Hands on experience painting “Shogi =Japanese chess” piece**

Lunch at **Yamagata beef specialty restaurant**

Enjoy **shopping at Cherryland Sagae**

**Hands on experience Benihana Flower Dye** at Benihana Museum

05:00pm Return to the hotel

06:00pm Dinner at the hotel **Accommodation at Hohoemi no Yado Takinoyu**

### **Day 7 Nov 06 (Fri) Tendo – Tome – Matsushima (B/D)**

Breakfast at the hotel

09:00am Leave hotel with English speaking guide by chartered bus

Visit **Shiitake Mushroom Farm**-know how they grow them and sample fresh mushroom

Lunch on own enroute

04:30pm Arrive at the hotel (onsen)

**Dinner at the hotel Accommodation at Hohoemi no Yado Takinoyu**

### **Day 8 Nov 07 (Sat) Matsushima - Tokyo (B/D)**

Breakfast at the hotel

\*\*\* Send suitcase to Tokyo, travel with overnight bag for Matsushima 1night

09:00am Leave for sightseeing with English speaking guide

Take a ferry to see the **oyster bed**, and learn how they cultivate them

Enjoy oyster on board!

Lunch on own at the Matsushima seafood market

\*All you can eat steamed oyster is in season for you to try at the market

Bullet train ride to Tokyo (\*Reserved seating), transfer to the hotel by chartered bus

**Accommodation at Asakusa View Hotel**

**Day 9 Nov 08 (Sun) Tokyo – Haneda Airport - Honolulu (B)**

Breakfast at the hotel

11:00am Check out the room- leave your belongings at the bell desk until hotel departure

06:00pm Leave for airport with guide by chartered bus

06:00pm Arrive at Haneda Airport

09:55pm Leave for Honolulu by **ALL NIPPON AIRWAYS 186**

**\*\* Arrive back in Honolulu on the same day 9:55AM\*\***

Note: Air and Land Itinerary are subject to change.

Meal and room arrangements may change due to availability (ex. Japanese to Western)

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**\*\*\* JTB USA, Inc. ~ TOUR APPLICATION \*\*\***

**PLEASE PRINT CLEARLY AND COMPLETE ALL INFORMATION ON FORM**

**JTB USA, Inc. 1450 Ala Moana Blvd., Suite1370, HONOLULU, HI 96814/808-979-011/hnl02@jtbusa.com**

**\*\* NAME ON FORM MUST MATCH THE NAME AS SHOWN ON VALID PASSPORT \*\***

**Please submit a passport copy along with application form**

1. \_\_\_\_\_ MR., MS., MRS. \_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_  
Last Name First Name Middle Name (Please circle one). Date of Birth (MM/DD/YY)

Passport Number Expiration Date (MM / DD / YY YY) E-mail address

2. \_\_\_\_\_ MR., MS., MRS. \_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_  
Last Name First Name Middle Name (Please circle one). Date of Birth (MM/DD/YY)

Passport Number Expiration Date (MM / DD / YYYY) E-mail address

Mileage Number (UA or ANA)

Name#1 : \_\_\_\_\_ Name#2: \_\_\_\_\_ Name#3: \_\_\_\_\_

Global Entry/TSA/KTN

Name#1: \_\_\_\_\_ Name#2: \_\_\_\_\_ Name #3: \_\_\_\_\_

HOME STREET ADDRESS CITY STATE ZIP

Home Phone Number Cell/Work Phone Number Email-Address

Emergency Contact Name Cell/Home Phone Number Work Phone Number

**- CUSTOMER'S ACKNOWLEDGEMENT -**

*I certify that I have read the Escorted Tour Terms and Conditions and agree to abide by them*

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

**TOUR DEPOSIT DUE: \$300.00 PER PERSON. PLEASE ENCLOSE FORM OF PAYMENT WITH APPLICATION**

Tour Deposit – Form of Payment: \_\_\_\_ Check enclosed \_\_\_\_ Credit Card

\*We will contact you after the application form is received for card payment.

1) **SIGN UP AS: WITH AIR or LAND ONLY**

2) **International Air upgrade: YES or NO**

3) **ROOM TYPE: TWIN / SINGLE**

**\*\* Please notify us of food allergies and medical conditions, or if special arrangements are needed**